

**MINUTES**  
**COMMITTEE ON LAW & LICENSING**

**April 9, 2013 - 2:00 p.m.**  
**Common Council Chambers, City Hall**

**Members Present:** Chairperson Ald. Jodi VanderWeele, Vice Chairperson Ald. Kevin Matichek, Ald. Julie Kath, Ald. Susan Lessard, Ald. Scott Lewandoske  
**Others in Attendance:** Assistant City Attorney Charles C. Adams, Lt. Douglas Teunissen, Jessie M. Streff, Victoria M. Kunstman, Michelle D. Clausing

Chairperson VanderWeele called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Introduction of committee members, staff and guests.

A motion to approve the minutes of the previous meeting held March 26, 2013 was made by Ald. Matichek and seconded by Ald. Lessard. **All ayes; motion approved.**

**R.O. No. 287-12-13 (3-4-13) – Various License Applications: Bev. Op. Lic. App. No. 9893 (Jessie M. Streff); Taxicab Op. Lic. App. No. 9492 (Trayel J. West)**

Submitting various license applications for the period ending June 30, 2013 and June 30, 2014.

Jessie M. Streff was not present when R.O. 287-12-13 was initially discussed. Ald. Kath moved, seconded by Ald. Lessard, to deny the license application based upon Ms. Streff's failure to cooperate with the committee. **All ayes; motion approved.** However, Ms. Streff appeared before the committee later during the meeting to discuss her application. Ald. Matichek moved, seconded by Ald. Kath, to rescind the prior motion. **All ayes; motion approved.** After discussion of Ms. Streff's record and her failure to include violations on her application, Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. Matichek, to grant the license contingent upon the application being corrected, and with a warning to include all relevant information on future applications. **All ayes; motion approved.**

Trayel J. West failed to appear before the committee. Ald. Matichek moved, seconded by Ald. Kath, to deny the license application based upon Mr. West's failure to accurately reveal all relevant convictions on his application, his record of violations related to the licensed activity, and his failure to cooperate with the committee. **All ayes; motion approved.**

**R.O. No. 303-12-13 (3-18-13) – Various License Applications: Bev. Op. Lic. App. Nos. 8235 (Victoria M. Kunstman), 5729 (Michelle Passmore); Taxicab Op. Lic. App. Nos. 9895 (Michelle D. Clausing), 9900 (Amanda L. Wilterdink)**

Submitting various license applications for the period ending June 30, 2013 and June 30, 2014.

Victoria M. Kunstman appeared before the committee to discuss her application. After discussion of her record and her failure to include a violation on her application, Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. Matichek, to grant the license contingent upon the application being corrected, and with a warning to include all relevant information on future applications. **All ayes; motion approved.**

Michelle Passmore failed to appear before the committee. Ald. Matichek moved, seconded by Ald. Kath, to request via certified mailing Ms. Passmore's appearance before the committee at its next meeting. **All ayes; motion approved.**

Michelle D. Clausing appeared before the committee to discuss her application. After discussion of her record and her failure to include violations on her application, Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. Kath, to deny the license application based upon Ms. Clausing's failure to accurately reveal all relevant convictions on her application and her record of violations related to the licensed activity. **Four ayes and one nay (Ald. Matichek); motion approved.**

Amanda L. Wilterdink failed to appear before the committee. Ald. Kath moved, seconded by Ald. Matichek, to request via certified mailing Ms. Wilterdink's appearance before the committee at its next meeting. **All ayes; motion approved.**

Ald. Kath moved, seconded by Ald. Matichek, to refer those licenses remaining on R.O. 303-12-13 to the Law & Licensing Committee of the new Common Council. **All ayes; motion approved.**

**Possible Quasi-Judicial hearing to determine whether Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 2720-Rehab Bar & Grill (Rufino C. Martinez, Jr., Agent) and Bev. Op. Lic. No. 5551 (Amanda K. Martinez) shall be suspended or revoked**

**Possible Quasi-Judicial hearing to determine whether Taxicab Business Lic. No. 2525-All Star Taxi I (Jose A. Razo, Agent) shall be suspended or revoked**

**Possible Quasi-Judicial hearing to determine whether Taxicab Business Lic. No. 2847-VIP Taxi LLC (Abraham Loya, Agent) shall be suspended or revoked**

**Possible Quasi-Judicial hearing to determine whether Taxicab Op. Lic. No. 9748 (Roxanna M. Ramirez) shall be suspended or revoked**

No quasi-judicial hearings were held. ACA Adams informed the committee that he continues to work on these hearings.

**R.O. No. 314-12-13 (4-3-13) – Various License Applications**

Submitting various license applications for the period ending June 30, 2013 and June 30, 2014.

Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. Kath, to grant a license to "Class B" Liquor Lic. App. No. 2977 (Geno Nottolini's Pizza). **All ayes; motion approved.**

Ald. Matichek moved, seconded by Ald. Lessard, to call in "Class B" Liquor Lic. App. No. 2976-My Place Bar & Grill (Sandra A. Ososa, Agent) to discuss the application with the committee. **All ayes; motion approved.**

Ald. Matichek moved to call in App. No. 9918 to discuss her application with the committee. **Motion died for lack of a second.** Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. Kath, to grant a license with a warning, contingent upon the application being corrected, to Bev. Op. Lic. App. No. 9918 (Nicole M. Greuel). **Four ayes and one nay (Ald. Matichek); motion approved.**

Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. Kath, to call in Bev. Op. Lic. App. No. 9915 (Donald G. Riemer) to discuss his application with the committee. **All ayes; motion approved.**

Ald. Matichek moved to call in App. No. 8224 to discuss her application with the committee. **Motion died for lack of a second.** Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. Kath, to grant a license with a warning, contingent upon the application being corrected, to Bev. Op. Lic. App. No. 8224 (Amanda Y. Salazar). **Four ayes and one nay (Ald. Matichek); motion approved.**

Ald. Matichek moved, seconded by Ald. Kath, to call in Bev. Op. Lic. App. No. 7934 (Eric S. Schroeter) to discuss his application with the committee. **Three ayes and two nays (Ald. Lessard and Ald. VanderWeele); motion approved.**

Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. Matichek, to call in Bev. Op. Lic. App. No. 9912 (Jacob R. Thompson) to discuss his application with the committee. **All ayes; motion approved.**

Ald. Kath moved, seconded by Ald. Lessard, to call in Taxicab Op. Lic. App. No. 9910 (Brian E. Kairys) to discuss his application with the committee. **All ayes; motion approved.**

Ald. Kath moved to call in App. No. 9907 to discuss her application with the committee. **Motion died for lack of a second.** Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. VanderWeele, to grant a license with a warning, contingent upon the application being corrected, to App. No. 9907. **Two ayes, two nays (Ald. Kath and Ald. Lewandoske) and one abstention (Ald. Matichek); motion failed.** Ald. Kath moved, seconded by Ald. Lewandoske, to call in App. No. 9907 to discuss her application with the committee. **Two ayes, two nays (Ald. Lessard and Ald. VanderWeele) and one abstention (Ald. Matichek); motion failed.** ACA Adams informed the committee that it would not be a conflict of interest for Ald. Matichek to vote in this matter. Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. VanderWeele, to grant a license with a warning, contingent upon the application being corrected, to Taxicab Op. Lic. App. No. 9907 (Katie S. Matichek). **All ayes; motion approved.**

Ald. Lessard moved, seconded by Ald. Matichek, to grant the remainder of the license applications for individuals and entities listed on the above-referenced R.O. **All ayes; motion approved.**

Ald. Kath moved, seconded by Ald. Lessard, to refer those licenses remaining on R.O. 314-12-13 to the Law & Licensing Committee of the new Common Council. **All ayes; motion approved.**

**Discussion and possible action regarding law violations that may require future action by the Committee**

Lt. Teunissen informed the committee that there were law violations on March 29th and April 3rd involving taxicab drivers employed by All Star Taxi. ACA Adams indicated that he will incorporate those violations into the upcoming quasi-judicial hearing regarding All Star Taxi's license. Ald.

Matichek moved, seconded by Ald. Lessard, to call in the following license holders to discuss the violations with the committee:

- Taxicab Op. Lic. No. 8112 (Trevor M. Gohr)
- Taxicab Op. Lic. No. 6913 (Ricardo Rios)

**All ayes; motion approved.**

Lt. Teunissen gave a brief report regarding the results of “Operation 21 and Over” conducted by the Sheboygan Police Department on March 28, 2013 (20 businesses checked with 5 failures) and April 7, 2013 (22 businesses checked with 4 failures). Ald. Lessard made a motion, seconded by Ald. Kath, to call in the following license holders to discuss the violations with the committee:

March 28, 2013 violations

Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 2899-Zodiak (Thomas E. Laiken, Agent)  
Bev. Op. Lic. No. 7853 (Theresa L. Nitze)  
Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 1267-Poor Richards (Richard C. Lambrecht, Agent)  
Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 2914-T & L’s Northstar LLC (Todd R. Haas, Agent)  
Bev. Op. Lic. No. 9705 (Gerald W. Doeberst)  
Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 2758-Mike’s Wilson Ave. Bar & Grill (Michael R. Dietz, Agent)  
Bev. Op. Lic. No. 8786 (Kyrstin A. Dietz)  
Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 1083-Vibez (Hamilton W. Watt, Agent)  
Bev. Op. Lic. No. 9671 (Tina H. Mann)  
Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 1260-The Cove (Candace I. Teetzen, Agent) (Note: The Cove passed the Operation 21 test, but Dennis Teetzen received citation for an incident afterwards)

April 7, 2013 violations

Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 2710-The Pig Stop II (Jennifer A. Waraich, Agent)  
Bev. Op. Lic. No. 9878 (Michael JT McAlister)  
Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 1877-Applebee’s Neighborhood Grill (Timothy Streets, Agent)  
Bev. Op. Lic. No. 9140 (Evelyn R. Hungerford)  
Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 1525-Fountain Park Lounge (Jetmir Ameti, Agent)  
Alc. Bev. Lic. No. 2404-Dick’s Northeast Standard I (Richard L. Hiers, Agent)  
Bev. Op. Lic. No. 8190 (Courtney M. Lilge)

**All ayes; motion approved.**

Ald. Lessard made a motion to adjourn sine die. Ald. Kath seconded the motion. **All ayes; motion approved.**

There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned sine die at 3:16 p.m.

The next committee meeting is tentatively scheduled to be held on April 23, 2013 at 2:00 p.m. in the Common Council Chambers located at City Hall, 828 Center Avenue.